

Team Jeopardy

Middle School- Version 1



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\$400	\$400	\$400	\$400
\$800	\$800	\$800	\$800
\$1200	\$1200	\$1200	\$1200

Purpose: This is a Team activity that will encourage mentors/ mentees to work together with Jeopardy as the basis.

Activity Duration: 45-60 minutes

Materials:

- Print off Jeopardy questions. Print "On Both Sides" and color if available.
- Tape
- Paper/pencil to keep score

Preparation:

- Hang Jeopardy categories on a wall with small pieces of tape. Under each category will be the five questions for that category, also taped to the wall. This can take up to 5 full minutes (it's 30+ sheets of paper)
- Split session into two or three teams.

Activity:

- Announce that the team that selects the question gets the first chance to answer the question. Stress that no one shouts the answers.
- Select a Mentor to give the teams' "Final Answer" after they've consulted with everyone on the team.
- If a team is incorrect, the next team can try to answer.
- Allow a student to select the category and question, remove from the wall and read the question to that team.

Tips:

- Ask a mentor to keep score. Do not deduct points for a wrong answer (too much math for scorekeeper).
- Stress this isn't about winning or losing but working well with your team.
- Rotate which student gets to select the category and dollar amount.
- Require students select question from their seats. If they come to the wall to choose, they take a long time.
- Hang the activity prior to the session or recruit a mentor to help you at the beginning of the session.
- The questions and categories print in order. Simply print the file (on both sides) as the file appears.

Science

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**This is the symbol
on the Periodic
Table for Oxygen**

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**This person
discovered the
equation: $E=mc^2$**

Albert Einstein

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**Name the 3 states
in which water can
exist.**

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True or False:
Metal expands
when cooled/frozen.

False. Metal contracts when cooled.

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**What part of the
body is the longest
muscle found?**

Thigh/Leg (Sartorius muscle)

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Geology

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**Is Greece located
on the continent of
Asia, Europe or
Africa**

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**What is the hottest
continent on Earth?**

Africa

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**Where do
stalactites and
stalagmites form?**

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What are the Ganges, Thames, and Seine?

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**Australia is
surrounded by
which two oceans?**

Indian Ocean and Pacific Ocean

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Math

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**What is 849 divided
by 10?**

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**What is 10:02 p.m. as
a 24-hour time (aka
military time)?**

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**There are 20 people
in a park. If 5 leave,
what fraction of
people are left?**

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**What number is next
in the sequence?**

3, 9, 27, 81...

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**How many days and
hours is 200 hours?**

8 days, 8 hours

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Extra Trivia

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**What are premolars,
incisors and
canines?**

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**This food is dried out
to make raisins.**

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**Who was the 2nd
President of the
United States of
America?**

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**Which of the
following is a
herbivore? Hippo,
Giraffe, Tiger**

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**Give the baby names
of each animal: bear,
cat, deer and
kangaroo.**

Cub, Kitten, Fawn, Joey

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Sports

Trivia

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**What individual has
the most Olympic
Gold medals of all
time?**

Michael Phelps (23 Gold Medals, 2nd Place has 9: Larisa Latynina Soviet Union Gymnastics))

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**Name three sports
where “offsides” is a
penalty.**

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**Name the sport
where the team with
the ball is on
defense.**

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Which distance is shorter?

- **Running goal line to goal line on a football field?**

OR

- **Running all 4 bases on a professional baseball diamond?**

Football field at 300 feet. (Baseball diamond 90 feet per base= 360 feet)

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**The length of a
football in inches.**

11 inches

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Final Jeopardy

Category: U.S. Presidency

**Who becomes President
of the United States if
both the President and
Vice President resign?**

Speaker of the House of Representatives (Paul Ryan, 2018)